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Accember Accemb	I'd like feedback on the rail color. Is it too red?	
	The Floquil "Rail Brown" color is definitely not this red, it's almost a dark buff color.	
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	06-19-2018, 12:23 PM Dave My computer says its brown. Unless my view is way off I think its perfect.	#167
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	Jerry "And in the end, it's not the years in your life that count. It's the life in your years." A. Lincoln	
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	It looks brown to me, too, Dave. Chuck	
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Michael_Hohn C Senior Member Join Date: Sep 2012 Posts: 12238 C Share	I'm in the Rail Brown camp and can't be trusted. Suffice it to say I think your track looks really good. * Mike * maybe should be a little more brown? Perhaps?	
	I was so much older then, I'm younger than that now <i>Bob Dylan</i>	
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tloc C Senior Member Join Date: Oct 2014 Posts: 5839	Looks brown enough for me TomO	
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Tailman28 Senior Member Join Date: Mar 2010 Posts: 6713	06-20-2018, 07:14 AM Agreed, that is, looks like a good brown to me.	#171
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jbvb jbvb Senior Member Join Date: Dec 2007 Posts: 8212 Share Y Tweet	IIRC you were aiming for a pre-creosote (pre Chestnut Blight in your area) look. I think that's a little dark for fre think a bit more gray from ash etc.	esh or weathered chestnut or oak. For rails, I'd
	James	99 Quote 두 Comment 🏳 Flag 👍 Like ∢ 0
	06-23-2018, 01:56 PM I lightened the ties and got a better match to "Rail Brown" for the rail. About 1/2 of the track is painted, I'll finis	#173 🗌
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Michael_Hohn C Senior Member Senior Member Join Date: Sep 2012 Posts: 12238 In Share In Share In Share In Share In Share	Even better!	
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Failman28 Senior Member Join Date: Mar 2010 Posts: 6713	06-24-2018, 07:35 AM Dave, too me this latest version looks older and less used.	#175
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•	06-26-2018, 03:07 PM Trackwork started today. Of course, I discovered the points of the near turnout are -exactly- over a joist, so I'll	99 Quote 🖓 Comment 🏳 Flag 🥵 Like 🕡 #176 🗌
deemery Senior Member	Trackwork started today. Of course, I discovered the points of the hear turnout are -exactly- over a joist, so Fil	have to do some benchwork rearranging too.
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	06-26-2018, 07:23 PM Yes, you're at the perfect point of this project to make these changes. Do it now when it will be much easier.	✓ Edit IJIJ Quote ↓ Comment ↓ Flag ↓ Eike 0 #177
Image: Constraint of the constraint o	Yes, you're at the perfect point of this project to make these changes. Do it now when it will be much easier. And, the above view is going to look realy good when you're done.	
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	06-27-2018, 03:16 AM There'll be a station about where that white board is, and the terrain will slope up to the right, with the track er o'clock" position on the near blob. That'll all be cityscape.	#178 🗌



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I made a little jig to help me draw the center line for the homabed. (shown upside-down). The distance between the posts is about 1/8" more than the (1 1/2") width of the spines, so I hold the jig at a slight angle to keep the center aligned. (This accommodates bump-outs where there's a joint in the splines.) A fine point 'Sharpie' fits in the center hole.



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	06-27-2018, 04:43 AM	#180
	I think YOU are the "Sharpie" in this picture, Dave.	
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